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Senate Bill \_\_\_\_\_  
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House Bill No.HB0051  
By Buck

AN ACT to designate State Route 52 within the City of Lafayette as the "Dr. C. C. Chitwood, Jr. Memorial Boulevard".

WHEREAS, from time to time, the members of this General Assembly have seen fit to name certain public highways in honor of those exemplary citizens who have contributed significantly to the overall growth and prosperity of their respective communities; and

WHEREAS, the late Dr. C. C. Chitwood, Jr. was instrumental in building the hospital now known as Macon County General Hospital; and

WHEREAS, a man of great integrity, probity and industry, Dr. Chitwood showed great compassion for his patients; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Chitwood was widely renowned for his generosity and his compassion, and he helped many young men and women from Macon County by taking them into his home, and helping them to find jobs; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Chitwood was a dedicated supporter of Macon County and he worked assiduously to ensure a bright future for his fellow citizens and their progeny; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Chitwood gave selflessly of his time and effort to improve the community, its schools, and its roads; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Chitwood was truly an inspirational leader among his peers, and he has left behind an indelible legacy of meritorious public service and unflagging commitment to his fellow citizens; and

WHEREAS, the Lafayette City Council has expressed a desire to name State Route 52 within the city's corporate limits in honor of Dr. Chitwood, an exemplary gentleman and scholar; and

WHEREAS, this General Assembly has always endeavored to respect the wishes of citizens relative to local matters whenever it is feasible to do so; now, therefore,

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, State Route 52 within the corporate limits of the City of Lafayette in Macon County is hereby designated as the "Dr. C. C. Chitwood, Jr. Memorial Boulevard" in honor of this extraordinary man's life of purpose, commitment and integrity.

SECTION 2. The Department of Transportation is directed to erect suitable markers or to affix suitable signs designating such segment of State Route 52 as the "Dr. C. C. Chitwood, Jr. Memorial Boulevard".

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

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